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Page 2, column 2, Other Publications, third entry: "Defect reduction in GaAs epitaxial layers" should be -- Defect reduction in GaAs epitaxial layers --

While these errors are not of a serious enough nature to warrant a Certificate of Correction, the patentee nevertheless wishes to bring same to the attention of the Patent and Trademark Office, so that same is made of record in the file of this patent.

Respectfully submitted,



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PATENT NO: 6,972,051

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It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent are hereby corrected as shown below:

Page 1, in the References Cited: U.S. Patent Documents section, second entry, "Huml et al." should be -- Humi et al. --

Column 4, line 25, "N\*N" should be -- M\*N --

Column 4, line 58, "exist growth" should be -- exist, growth --

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